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CLAIMS

1.   A computer method for storing and saving electronic
photographic images comprising:

    providing access to an order server having picture image
memory adapted to store said electronic photographic images,
an ordering interface, and a communications link;

    providing access to an image loader operable to receive
said electronic photographic images and store said images in
said picture image memory;

    providing access to a photographic printer adapted to
produce hardcopy renditions of said electronic photographic
images;

    providing access to a payment verifier adapted to
transact remote payment information through a financial
institution,

    wherein said ordering interface is operable to be
remotely accessed by a user for the purpose of selectively
directing said photographic printer to produce said hardcopy
renditions.

2.   The computer method of claim 1 wherein said ordering
interface access providing step further comprises providing
access to an image profiler adapted to sequence and label
said electronic photographic images.

3.   The computer method of claim 1 wherein said ordering
interface access providing step further comprises providing
access to a customer order selector adapted to enumerate and
quantify a subset of said electronic photographic images to
be produced as said hardcopy renditions.

4.   The computer method of claim 1 wherein said ordering
interface access providing step further comprises providing
access to a customer proofbook adapted to store a subset of
said electronic photographic images, wherein said customer
proofbook persists between said remote accesses by said
customer.

5.   The computer method of claim 1 wherein said payment verifier access providing step enables transmitting payment corresponding to production of said hardcopy renditions in response to notification from said financial institution.

6.   The computer method of claim 1 wherein said image loader access providing step enables receiving said electronic photographic images from a transmission over a publically accessible network through said communications link.

7.   The computer method of claim 1 wherein said image loader access providing step enables receiving said electronic photographic images from a non-volatile digital media.

8.   The computer method of claim 7 wherein said non-volatile digital media is selected from the group consisting of magnetic and optical formats.

9.   A method of remotely uploading, storing, reviewing, and editing electronic photographic images comprising:
        fixing visual images on a persistent medium;
        translating said visual images into electronic photographic images;
        transmitting said electronic photographic images to an order server;
        storing said electronic photographic images on a memory at said order server;
        displaying selected electronic photographic images from said memory to a remote customer;
        receiving an order from said remote customer enumerating a subset of said electronic photographic images;
        producing a hardcopy rendition of said subset of electronic photographic images.

10.   The method as in claim 9 wherein said translating comprises scanning a visual image into a digital storage format.

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11.   The method as in claim 9 wherein said fixing comprises using a digital camera to store said visual images therein.

12.   The method as in claim 9 wherein said displaying to said remote customer and said receiving said order comprises a transmission over a publically accessible network.

13.   The method as in claim 9 wherein the step of storing is followed by the step of sequencing and captioning said electronic photographic images.

14.   The method as in claim 12 wherein said displaying is in response to interactive selecting by said customer through said publicly accessible network.

15.   The method as in claim 9 wherein said storing further comprises arranging said electronic photographic images according to an event and said displaying said electronic photographic images occurs selectively according to said event.

16.   The method as in claim 9 wherein said displaying is followed by the step of electing a quantitative and qualitative assertion for at least one of said electronic photographic images.

17.   The method as in claim 16 wherein said electing further comprises storing at least one of said electronic photographic images in an electronic proofbook.

18.   The method as in claim 17 wherein said electronic proofbook is accessible only by said customer.

19.   The method as in claim 9 wherein said receiving said order comprises a qualitative and quantitative election with respect to each of said electronic photographic images of said subset.

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20. The method as in claim 9 wherein said storing is preceded by the step of remotely altering said electronic photographic images.

5   21. A computer method for storing and saving electronic photographic images comprising:
        means for providing access to an order server having picture image memory adapted to store said electronic photographic images, an ordering interface, and a
10   communications link;
        means for providing access to an image loader operable to receive said electronic photographic images and store said images in said picture image memory;
        means for providing access to a photographic printer
15   adapted to produce hardcopy renditions of said electronic photographic images;
        means for providing an access to a payment verifier adapted to transact remote payment information through a financial institution,
20   wherein said ordering interface is operable to be remotely accessed by a user for the purpose of selectively directing said photographic printer to produce said hardcopy renditions.

25   22. The computer method of claim 21 wherein said ordering interface access providing means comprises means for further providing access to an image profiler adapted to sequence and label said electronic photographic images.

30   23. The computer method of claim 21 wherein said ordering interface access providing means further comprises means for providing access to a customer order selector adapted to enumerate and quantify a subset of said electronic photographic images to be produced as said hardcopy
35   renditions.

        24. The computer method of claim 21 wherein said ordering

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interface access providing means further comprises means for providing access to a customer proofbook adapted to store a subset of said electronic photographic images, wherein said customer proofbook persists between said remote accesses by said customer.

25. The computer method of claim 21 wherein said payment verifier access providing means further comprises means for transmitting payment corresponding to production of said hardcopy renditions in response to notification from said financial institution.

26. The computer method of claim 21 wherein said image loader access providing means further comprises means for receiving said electronic photographic images from a transmission over a publically accessible network through said communications link.

27. The computer method of claim 21 wherein said image loader access providing means further provides means for receiving said electronic photographic images from a non-volatile digital media.

28. The computer method of claim 27 wherein said non-volatile digital media is selected from the group consisting of magnetic and optical formats.

29. The system as substantially shown and described herein.

30. The method of claim 1 further including the step of providing access to stored images for allowing image editing.

31. The method of claim 1 wherein said editing step includes one or more of the steps of categorizing, sorting and titling.